

## Message Text

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FOR THE SECRETARY FROM THE AMBASSADOR

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OVIP (KISSINGER, HENRY A.)

SUBJECT: SECVISIT TO BONN

REF: JERUSALEM 868

SINCE SCHEEL IS COMPLETELY ABSORBED TODAY IN THE PROCESS OF BECOMING FEDERAL PRESIDENT, WE COMMUNICATED WITH HIS PERSONAL ASSISTANT MAY 15 AND PASSED ALONG MESSAGE IN REFTEL. LATTER ASSURED US THAT A BRIEF STOPOVER IN BONN EITHER ON SATURDAY (MAY 18) OR SUNDAY (MAY 19) WOULD BE MOST WELCOME. HE SAID SCHEEL WOULD HAVE COMPLETE UNDERSTANDING FOR YOUR INABILITY TO BE MORE CERTAIN ABOUT YOUR SCHEDULE AT THIS POINT AND SAID HE WOULD PASS THE MESSAGE TO MINISTER ASAP. (FYI: SCHEEL WAS ELECTED FEDERAL PRESIDENT BY THE BUNDESVERSAMMLUNG AS EXPECTED. END FYI.)  
HILLENBRAND

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